

# 100 Days of Republican Oversight of the U.S. Homeland Mission

Last Congress, Democrats largely ignored many significant homeland security issues that impact Americans across the country. Over the first 100 days of a Republican Majority, the House Committee on Homeland Security wasted no time moving the needle as we carried out well overdue oversight actions to hold the Biden administration accountable for the two years of damage to our homeland security.

The Homeland Security Committee has conducted over 340 oversight activities—including site visits, meetings, briefings, letters, and hearings to hold the Biden administration accountable for their dangerous policies.

- 👱 230 briefings & meetings with DHS & key homeland security stakeholders
- 23 oversight and document request letters
- 15+ site visits
- 1 hearings

The Committee launched 19 investigations and oversight initiatives to examine the Biden administration's fraud, waste and abuse around issues including:

- Border wall construction contracts
- 🗽 DHS's approach to arbitrating mis-, dis-, and malinformation (MDM)
- Grants accountability and management
- China's threat to U.S homeland security
- 🗽 Alternatives to Detention and migrant parole programs
- 🗽 CBP One app

During our first 100 days, our members effectively carried the Committee's message through <u>over 140 television interviews</u> focused on our top oversight efforts and successfully filling the void left by the Democrats' silence on key homeland security issues.

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### BORDER SECURITY

Under the Biden administration, our country has witnessed a historic crisis at our borders. The Homeland Security Committee has carried out over 75 oversight actions aimed at demanding accountability, information, and answers for Americans.

- 🗶 62+ briefings, letters, and meetings
- **X** 8 site visits
- 📜 4 hearings, including one field hearing in Pharr, Texas with U.S. Border Patrol Chief Ortiz

### **CCP INFLUENCE**

To counter, curb, and compete with the growing influence of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) in the U.S. homeland, the Committee conducted over a dozen oversight activities.

- 📜 10+ letters, briefings, and a hearing
- 2 bills introduced to remove CCP influence from academic and research institutions & to protect American innovation & national security intelligence.

#### **CYBER DEFENSES**

Cyber risk is one of the most significant national security threats of our time. We face cyber threats from criminal actors and nation-state adversaries targeting both government and private entities. The Committee carried out over 80 oversight activities to strengthen our nation's cyber defenses.

- 🗶 15 DHS and Executive branch meetings and briefings
- 🗽 66+ stakeholder meetings and briefings, including a hearing with private sector stakeholders

## COUNTERTERRORISM

More than two decades after the 9/11 terrorist attacks, threats posed by foreign terrorist organizations like al Qaeda and ISIS remain a persistent concern. The Committee has carried out nearly 20 oversight activities to protect and safeguard the U.S. homeland from terrorism.

- 🗶 15 briefing meetings about terrorism with key stakeholders and security experts
- 💆 2 site visits at the NCTC and FBI TSC

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